up a 400 MW power plants on coal to gas conversion technology. However, BHEL and National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) have plans to set up a 125 MW Integrated Gasification-based combined cycle (IGCC) plant which is based on coal to gas conversion technology for eco-friendly low emission power generation.

Power supply to Chhattisgarh

†1437. SHRI SHREEGOPAL VYAS:
MISS ANUSUIYA UIKEY:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have reduced the power supply to Chhattisgarh;

(b) if so, whether the State Government was consulted; and

(c) whether power supply will be restored, to earlier level soon/after reviewing the situation?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE): (a) There has been no change in allocation of power to the State of Chhattisgarh from the unallocated power of Central Generating Stations of Western Region during the year 2006-07 (April, 2006 to February, 2007).

(b) and (c) Do not arise in view of the above.

Power situation in the country

1438. SHRI SURESH BHARDWAJ: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the power situation in the country is getting worse;

(b) if so, whether priority will be given for power generation in Eleventh Five Year Plan;

(c) whether the target for Tenth Five Year Plan for power generation has been achieved, if so, details thereof, State-wise and category-wise as on date; and

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.